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Applicant : Jochen Wolffgramm  
Filed : May 9, 2001  
Application No. : 09/851,817 Confirmation No. : 4970  
Group Art Unit : 1617  
Examiner : Shaojia Anna Jiang  
For : USE OF AGONISTS OF THE  
GLUCOCORTICOSTEROID AND/OR MINERALO-  
CORTICOSTEROID RECEPTORS, IN PARTICULAR  
CORTICOSTEROIDS FOR THE TREATMENT OF  
ADDICTION

New York, New York  
October 20, 2004

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Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)  
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time to respond to the April 20, 2004 Office Action. With the extension, a response is due on or before October 20, 2004. A check in the amount of \$490.00, in payment of the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3), is enclosed herewith.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional extension fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-

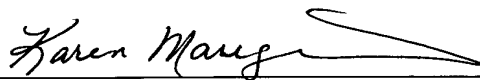
1075. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed herewith.

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Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Karen Mangasarian", written over a horizontal line.

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